



ARRIVED.

Sunday, September 20.
 Steamer, Maul, Bennett, from Kahului.
 Steamer, W. G. Hall, Thompson, from Nawiliwili.
 Gasoline scho. Eclipse, from Hawaii and Maui ports.
 Am. sch. Kona, from Honolulu, en route to Nitrate ports, (anchored out-side).

ARRIVED.

Monday, September 21.
 S. S. Nevada, Weedon, from San Francisco, at 8 a. m.
 S. S. Dorje, Smith, from the Orient, at 10 p. m.

DEPARTED.

Monday, September 21.
 Steamer, Wainalea, Cooke, for Maui ports, at 5 p. m.
 Steamer, Neeau, Pederson, for Honolulu and Kuluakua, at 5 p. m.
 Steamer, Lehua, Naopala, for Molokai ports, at 5 p. m.
 Steamer, Iwawani, Mosher, for Anahola, Kilauea, Hanalei and Kalihiwai, at 5 p. m.

PASSENGERS.

Arrived.
 Per steamer, W. G. Hall, from Nawiliwili, Sept. 20.—C. M. Cooke, Mrs. Cooke, Mrs. S. Snook, W. H. Rosser, Mrs. Rosser, S. Snook, R. Yap, E. N. Yato, M. G. Johnston, A. M. Davico, Mr. Kurakami, J. L. Hjorth, J. G. Smith, H. Froelich, L. B. Maynard, A. G. Stodart, F. J. Cross and 22 deck.
 Per steamer, Maul, from Maui ports, Sept. 20.—S. Kamitani, L. Chop, Chee, Tang Young, J. H. S. Kaleo, Mrs. W. Hoag and child, H. P. Baldwin, A. A. Brayner, W. L. Hardy, S. E. Ke-dinol, Mrs. J. G. Brown, Mrs. Jauton, W. P. Miller, Dr. C. Buffett, F. H. Wardland, L. Barkhausen, Capt. S. Johnson, Lieut. Costa and 46 men.

Departed.

Per steamer, Lehua, September 21, for Pelekuu—John H. Wilson.

Shipping Notes

(From Monday's daily.)
 The gasoline schooner Eclipse arrived yesterday from Hawaii and Maui ports.
 The Maul brought with her 4000 bags sugar, 122 bags corn, 29 bags potatoes, 55 bags beans, 16 hogs, 77 pkgs. sundries.
 The American-Hawaiian company's freighter Nevada is scheduled to arrive from the coast this morning. She has two days' mail.
 The Ventura from Australian, New Zealand and Samoa ports is due here tomorrow morning, and the Sonoma from the coast on Wednesday, en route to the Colonies.

PRATT MAY AC-COMPANY PRINCE

It is rumored that Mr. J. G. Pratt will accompany Prince Kalaianaleole to Washington in the capacity of advisory secretary. Mr. Pratt was the special representative at Washington during the last session of the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' Association, and aided largely in securing favorable consideration of the fire claims item.

ADMIRALTY LIBEL FOR HOUSE BOAT

Mary K. Almy has brought a libel in admiralty in the United States District Court against Cotton Bros. & Co., claiming \$2500 for the loss of a house boat. She states in her complaint that the house boat was the sole and separate property of herself, free from the management, control, debts and obligations of her husband.

It is alleged that the boat was wrecked on August 4, near the entrance of Kaili harbor while under lease to the libellees, who had undertaken on that day to remove the vessel from Pearl Harbor to the harbor of Honolulu. The house boat was being towed by the steam tug Kaena, having been placed between that tug and two heavily laden scows. It is alleged that the total loss of the house boat was caused directly and proximately by the carelessness and negligence of the libellees, in respect to the position they gave it in the tow, to the selection of time having regard to conditions of wind and sea and in particular to the attempt to tow too much.

A copy of the lease is appended, in which the lessees engage to keep the house boat in the waters of Pearl harbor and to pay \$2500 to the lessor in case of its total loss. A. S. Humphreys and J. J. Dunne are proctors for the libellant.

DURABLE.

"Was his marriage a success?" "I should say it was. He has tried to secure a divorce in South Dakota, New York, Oklahoma, and England, and his marriage still holds."—Brooklyn Life.

DECISION DEFERRED

Judge Gear Takes Two More Days Over It.

Judge Gear yesterday morning deferred his decision on the constitutional question relative to infamous crimes until Wednesday morning. The only indictment case in which the prosecution was ready, or would be in the afternoon, was the Chilton one of harboring a stolen child, but Mr. Cathcart for the defense requested a continuance till Wednesday, which was granted.

Kam Chee, Ah Shock and Ah Lun for gambling were called and stood forth. Deputy Attorney General Peters stated that the witnesses for the prosecution could not be produced, therefore he could only ask for a nolle prosequi. Judge Gear, in granting the motion and dismissing the defendants, remarked that it was strange how six witnesses had been permitted to disappear.

VERDICT BY DEFAULT.
 The jury in the case of Allen & Robinson vs. C. Klemme, before Judge Robinson, found a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$531. It was a verdict by default, no answer or pleading having been filed by defendant.

BEFORE DE BOLT.
 The fourth annual account of David Dayton, guardian of Annie H. K. Dowsett, a minor, was approved by Judge De Bolt. There is a balance of \$436.93 due the guardian, owing to deficiency of income from the Jas. I. Dowsett Estate, Ltd.

Judge De Bolt's trial jury will appear in court at 9:30 this morning. The first case will be that of Frank Godfrey, trustee, et al. vs. Helen Rowland, et al., to be succeeded by the following in their order: J. O. Carter, et al. trustees, vs. Lulu (w); Carlos A. Long vs. E. C. Macfarlane, et al.; John F. Colburn vs. C. S. Desky; W. F. Lowrie vs. Kalua Kalkamahale; Kapilani Estate, Ltd., vs. Manuel Gomez; and Solomon Kahawali vs. D. Kukea, et al.

ORDERS.
 Judge De Bolt has made an order that the bill for foreclosure of mortgage of John M. Dowsett, trustee, vs. Grace A. Brown be taken as confessed by the defendant, no answer or other pleading to the complaint having been filed.

Judge Robinson has made an order that Charles Phillips, administrator of the estate of Henry Congdon, deceased, be granted leave to compromise the claim of George Lycurgus for \$2000 against the estate upon payment of \$300.

PLEADINGS.
 An amended declaration has been filed in the ejectment case of Emma Claudina Spreckels Watson vs. Claus Spreckels, wherein plaintiff claims restitution of Honolulu property decided to her by defendant on July 14, 1893, together with damages of \$100,000 for its detention.

In the case of Chang Kim vs. Chung Hook Chong et al., defendants forming the partnership of Wong You Kee Co., confess the truth of the allegations and consent to a judgment in accordance with the facts. Defendant Fred Harrison is given ten days from September 22, in which to answer the complaint.

The foreclosure suit of Kapilani Estate, Ltd., vs. Jesse P. Makalani, has been discontinued.
 Defendant's bill of exceptions has been filed in the damage suit of Robert M. Fuller vs. Honolulu Rapid Transit & Land Co.

OFFICIAL BOTTLE PAPER PICKED UP

Mrs. P. Danson Kellett, Jr., on Sunday last found a bottle paper of the U. S. Hydrographic Office, enclosed in a bottle, which contained the following memorandum:
 Name, N. McCallum.
 Vessel, Drumcraig.
 Date, August 7th, 1903.
 Latitude, 19 deg. 10m. N.
 Longitude, 154 deg. 20 m. W.

The bottle was picked up on the beach at Mokapu Point, Kaneohe, Koolau-poko, Oahu. This is in latitude 21 deg. 27m. 3.5s., and longitude 157 deg. 43m. 52.5s. How long the bottle may have been lying on the beach cannot be guessed. The location of the Drumcraig, as shown by the data, when the bottle was thrown overboard, was on a parallel of latitude that would cut the southern end of the island of Hawaii a few miles inland, and on a meridian of longitude that would run about 29 miles east of Cape Kumukahi, the extreme eastern point of Hawaii. The Drumcraig was bound from San Francisco to Sydney and arrived at her destination after a long passage.

Mr. Kellett, husband of the finder, after consulting the Survey office, filled out the blanks on the paper and mailed it to the Hydrographic Office at Washington as the printed instructions thereon direct.

THE RIGHT OF VOTERS

To Be Registered for the County Elections.

There was a movement on foot yesterday to institute a test registration suit in Honolulu, but the Kauai case having been appealed to the Supreme Court the intention has probably been abandoned.

W. G. Smith, Charles A. Rice and W. J. Sheldon as respondent Board of Registration for the Sixth Representative District of the Territory of Hawaii, have appealed to the Supreme Court from the decision of Judge Hardy, awarding to George E. Fairchild a writ of mandamus against them. Following is Judge Hardy's opinion from which the appeal is taken:

OPINION.

The qualifications and conditions requisite for voting at the election of Senators and Representatives, "and all other elections," in this Territory are set forth in Secs. 60, 61 and 62 of "An Act to Provide a Government for the Territory of Hawaii."

The respondents in this case admit that the petitioner has all the necessary qualifications and fulfills all the conditions for voting at the election of county officers to be held Nov. 2, 1903, except the condition of registration in 1902. At that time he was absent from the Territory by reason of sickness of a member of his family. He is a resident of long standing, has been a voter for several years, and desires to register and vote at the coming county election. He is nominated as a candidate for the office of County Supervisor.

ARGUMENT OF RESPONDENTS.

At the hearing, the argument most insisted on by the respondents against the prayer of the petitioner for an order of Court to respondents that they convene to give him an opportunity to show that he is qualified to vote and to register, was that the Board was created by the Organic Act, by Congress, for the special purpose of registering voters for Senators and Representatives, and for no other purpose, and the power of the Territory to impose upon the Board additional duties was questioned. It was pointed out that it was required to meet at such times between Aug. 21 and Oct. 10, 1900, and in the same way every second year thereafter, as many times as may be necessary to enable them to register all persons entitled to register, and it was thence argued that the Board was not authorized to meet for such purpose in 1902.

CONTRARIWISE.

The reply is that these boards are boards of registration for the Territory, appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate, and their duties are to ascertain the qualifications of voters at election for Senators and Representatives and all other elections in the Territory, and the qualifications of the voters at all elections are identical.—Sec. 62, Organic Act.

At the date of the approval of that Act, there were no counties here, and no county elections, but it contained a provision for the creation and government of counties by the Legislature. Accordingly the Legislature has passed a County Act, and ordered an election of county officers to be held Nov. 2, 1903.

ELECTION LAWS APPLICABLE.
 In this County Act—title of "Election"—"Application of Existing Laws," Sec. 427, it is enacted: "Save as otherwise provided herein all laws of the Territory relative to elections shall govern and be held applicable to the election of county officers provided for by this Act."

Sec. 430 provides: "All persons duly registered under the laws of the Territory relative to the election of Representatives and Senators shall be qualified to vote for county officers in the county and district in which such voters reside."

Sec. 426 is given effect in Sec. 462, which provides the manner in which such registration is made available at the polls.

Sec. 431 enacts: "No special boards of registration shall be required for the registration of voters for county officers, but such voters may register before the boards of registration provided for by the laws of the Territory relative to the election of Senators and Representatives."

RULE ESTABLISHED.

This positive enactment establishes not only a rule for future elections, when the board shall register for both County and Territorial elections; but also applies to the initiatory step, the election of 1903; and this last proposition is reaffirmed and included in Sec. 465, viz: "All of the provisions of law relative to general elections are hereby declared to be applicable to such election."

The entire Chapter, 53, of which Sec. 465 is a part, pertains to the election of Nov. 2, 1903. Sec. 462:

"All persons shown by the records to have been qualified voters at the general election in the year 1902 shall be qualified to vote at such election. The lists forwarded by the inspectors of election to the Secretary of the Territory after the election shall be forwarded by the Secretary at some time prior to the election in order that the inspectors may be provided with lists of all persons qualified to vote."

ANOTHER CONTENTION.

It was contended by the respondents that this Sec. 462 strongly implies that only those persons who were on the

voting lists of 1902 will be qualified to vote at the election of 1903. The section admits a more reasonable construction. Sec. 430 has already provided that all persons duly registered for the election of Representatives and Senators shall be qualified to vote for county officers. The persons so qualified in 1902 are not to be registered over again. The Registration Board cannot furnish the list of such voters. It is in the hands of the Secretary of the Territory, the legal custodian. See Sec. 112 Appendix L, 1897. It is therefore necessary that he should seasonably send it to the inspectors of election that they may be informed officially who this large class of voters are.

NOT EXCLUSIVE.

So construed the Sec. 462 does not exclude or affect the list of newly registered voters to be furnished by the board; those, who being otherwise legally qualified to vote in 1902, failed through absence, sickness or accident to register that year; and those who have come of age (21 years); those who have filled the required term of residence in the Territory or the District; those who may have acquired the prescribed use of the English language—in a word, those who have gained the necessary qualifications of voters since the election of 1902.

RIGHT OF VOTERS.

Neither by the terms of Sec. 462 nor by necessary implication are the persons just described deprived of the right to vote. It is only necessary to be registered and their right is complete. If they fulfill all the other requirements for voting, of the Organic law, "they may register before the boards of registration provided by the laws of the Territory relative to the election of Senators and Representatives."

That the construction contended for by respondents, when put into express terms, was not favored by Congress may be seen in Sec. 50 Appendix L, 1897. The last clause, making the official voting list at a general election the only authority for voting at a special election, was repealed.

THIS A GENERAL ELECTION.

Respondents also argued that this coming election is a special election, and therefore Sec. 32 Appendix L, 1897 applies. The County Act itself defines its special election. Chap. 76, Sec. 437, defines a special election as one where a failure occurs through a tie vote. Sec. 438 makes a difference between a general election and a special in that the proclamation for the former must be sixty days and for the latter forty days previous to the election. Chap. 83, pertaining particularly to the election of 1903, treats it in a number of its sections as a general election.

It is held that the election of 1902 is in the nature of a general election.

RIGHT OF PETITIONER.

Whoever is possessed of all the necessary qualifications for voting at elections in this Territory, except in the matter of registration, is entitled to register as a voter.

That the petitioner is so qualified is not denied. He therefore has a right to register in order that he may exercise his right to vote.

If the right to register be his, he may require of the Board constituted for the purpose of ascertaining and certifying such right an opportunity to prove his qualification as a voter and to have his name entered on the Register of Voters.

Judgment for petitioner. Let a writ of mandamus issue accordingly.

JAPANESE WHO AID THEIR COUNTRYMEN

The semi-annual meeting of the Japanese Benevolent Society was held last evening in the Japanese Primary school on Nuanu street, and the reports from all the officers were submitted for the past six months, ending August 21, 1903.

An abstract of the various reports of the Society is as follows:
 Total receipts, including the balance of \$909.78, brought forward from February 28, 1903, \$3305.63. Total disbursements, \$2800.15, leaving a balance of \$505.48.

Total number of persons aided is forty-two, of whom twenty-seven were received and cared for at the Charity Hospital. The average number of days each patient remained in the hospital being seventy-six days. Also four outpatients for seventy-four days each in average.

Passage to Japan was given to four, and funeral expenses paid for seven. Two hundred and twenty-eight pay patients were also received at a moderate rate in the hospital.

The number of deaths was twenty-three in a total of 253 patients, giving a percentage of nine per cent. There have been sixty-two major and many minor operations and four post-mortem examinations.

The following list of subscribers were presented: Messrs. Hackford & Co., agents for the Pacific Mail, Occidental and Oriental, and Toyo Kisen Kaisha Steamship Companies; \$2196; Dr. I. Mori, \$100.

The following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year: Dr. Iga Mori, president; Mr. S. Yamanaka, vice-president; Mr. T. Ishikawa, secretary; Mr. O. Shioda, treasurer; Mr. S. Ozaki, auditor.

Louis Touissant Hurt.

While Louis Touissant of the Metropolitan Meat Company was directing the loading of hides into one of the company's wagons on the Inter-Island wharf at 7:30 a. m. yesterday, the two horses attached to the wagon, suddenly bolted. Touissant endeavored to check them, but unfortunately stumbled. The rear wheel of the wagon passed over his right hip, but oddly enough no bones were broken. Touissant was immediately conveyed to the Queen's Hospital, and investigation showed that he had been severely bruised.

BY AUTHORITY.

PUBLIC LANDS NOTICE.

On Saturday, September 19th, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon at the front entrance of the Judiciary Building, Honolulu, will be sold the lease of the following lands, viz:

Kawainui, situate in Onomea, Hilo, Hawaii; 162 acres of Agricultural.
 Term: Five years.
 Upset rental, \$480.00 per annum.
 Kawainui Forest land, situate as aforesaid; 322 acres Forest land.
 Term: 21 years, under forest conditions.
 Upset rental, \$50.00 per annum.
 For further particulars as to conditions of lease, plan, etc., apply to Public Lands Office.

E. S. BOYD,
 Commissioner of Public Lands,
 Public Lands Office, August 13th, 1903.

The sale of the lease of the above land is hereby postponed to September 26th, 1903, to take place at the same place and hour.

EDWARD S. BOYD,
 Commissioner of Public Lands,
 Public Lands Office, September 16th, 1903. 6557

CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES.

Every Candidate for a County office in the Counties of East Hawaii, West Hawaii, Maui and Kauai must file his nomination paper at the office of the Secretary of the Territory, in Honolulu, not later than five o'clock on the afternoon of Tuesday, October 13th, 1903, accompanied by a deposit of Twenty-five Dollars.

Nomination papers must be signed by not less than twenty-five (25) duly qualified electors of the County for which such election is to be held.

G. R. CARTER,
 Secretary of the Territory.

C. R. BUCKLAND,
 Electoral Registrar,
 Honolulu, Sept. 12, 1903. 2521

TERRITORY OF HAWAII.

Treasurer's office, Honolulu, Oahu.

In re Dissolution of the Wolters Waldron Company, Limited.

Whereas, the Wolters Waldron Company, Limited, a corporation established and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Territory of Hawaii, has pursuant to law in such cases made and provided, duly filed in this office, a petition for the dissolution of the said corporation, together with a certificate thereto annexed as required by law.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to any and all persons that have been or are now interested in any manner whatsoever in the said corporation, that objections to the granting of the said petition must be filed in this office on or before the 28th day of September and that any person or persons desiring to be heard thereon must be in attendance at the office of the undersigned, in the Capitol Building, Honolulu, at 12 o'clock of said day, to show cause, if any, why said petition should not be granted.

A. N. KEPOKAI,
 Treasurer Territory of Hawaii,
 Honolulu, July 11th, 1903.
 2504 to Sept. 25th.

FORECLOSURES

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF INTENTION OF FORECLOSURE AND OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage dated April 29th, 1901, made by J. M. Monsarrat of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, as mortgagor, and Annie S. Parke, of said Honolulu, as mortgagee, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds in said Honolulu in Liber 221, on pages 329, 330 and 331, the mortgagee intends to foreclose the said mortgage for condition broken, to wit: the non-payment of principal and interest when due. Notice is likewise given that the property conveyed by the said mortgage will be sold at public auction at the auction rooms of James F. Morgan, 847 Kaahumanu street, Honolulu, aforesaid, on Saturday, the 2nd day of October, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon.

The property covered by said mortgage is described as follows:
 All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate at Kalaia, District of Napali, Island of Kauai, Territory of Hawaii aforesaid, containing in all an area of 16.95-100 acres, and more particularly described in H. E. (Grant) No. 2170, H. P. (Grant) No. 2418, and R. P. (Grant) No. 1954 and being the same premises that were conveyed to the said mortgagor by Kaolihio (w) and Kealoha (k), her husband, by deed of date of said mortgage. Together with all the improvements, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

ANNIE S. PARKE,
 Mortgagee.

By her attorney in fact,
 W. C. PARKE.
 Terms: Cash, U. S. Gold Coin. Deeds at expense of purchaser.
 For further particulars apply to W. C. Parke, 209 Judd Building.
 Dated Honolulu, August 31st, 1903. 2517-ST

A. W. ANDERSON AND WIFE.

ASSIGNEE OF MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF INTENTION TO FORECLOSE AND OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain mortgage dated the 31st day of October, 1900, made by Augustus W. Anderson and Hannah Anderson, his wife, of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, to Henry Waterhouse Company, and recorded in Liber 215 on page 229, et seq., which said mortgage was duly assigned to Charles Notley, Sr., by document dated January 30th, 1901, of record in Liber 215 on page 479, under the Last Will and Testament of said Charles Notley, Sr., deceased, intend to foreclose said mortgage for the breach of the conditions in said mortgage contained, to wit, the non-payment of interest when due.

Notice is also hereby given that all and singular the lands, tenements and

hereditaments in said mortgage described, will be sold at public auction at the salesroom of Jas. F. Morgan, on Kaahumanu street, Honolulu aforesaid, on Saturday, the 19th day of September, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon of that day.

The property covered by said mortgage is: That certain lot of land at Kulaokua, Makiki, Honolulu, bounded and particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the makai side of Lunallo street, six hundred feet North 68° 48' West from the westerly corner of Lunallo and Keeaumoku streets, the same being the Northerly corner of Lot 11, and running thence by true Meridian, as follows:
 1. S. 21° 12' W. 90 feet along Lot 10;
 2. N. 68° 48' W. 33-10 feet; thence along Lot 31, thence

3. N. 21° 12' E. 90 feet along the remaining one-third of Lot 11 to the makai line of Lunallo street; thence

4. S. 68° 48' E. 33-10 feet along said makai line of Lunallo street to the point of beginning, creating an area of 8000 square feet, more or less; the said lot above described being a portion of Lot 11, Block A, Gear, Lansing & Co. Baseball Tract.

Terms: Cash U. S. Gold Coin.
 Deeds: At the expense of purchaser.
 Dated Honolulu, August 15th, 1903.

A. LIDGATE,
 CECIL BROWN,
 Executors and Trustees under the Last Will and Testament of Charles Notley, Sr., deceased.

The above sale is postponed till Saturday Sept. 26th, at same hour and place.

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CHAS. E. MOORE AND WIFE.

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF INTENTION TO FORECLOSE AND OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain mortgage dated the 3rd day of April, 1901, made by Chas. E. Moore and Mary T. Moore, his wife, of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, to Cecil Brown, Trustee, and of record in Liber 221 on page 180, et seq., the said Cecil Brown, Trustee, intends to foreclose said mortgage for breach of the conditions in said mortgage contained, to wit, the non-payment of principal and interest when due.

Notice is also hereby given that all and singular the lands, tenements and hereditaments in said mortgage described, will be sold at public auction at the salesroom of Jas. F. Morgan, on Kaahumanu street, Honolulu aforesaid, on Saturday, the 19th day of September, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon of that day.

The property covered by said mortgage is: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated at Kulaokua, Honolulu, Oahu, and more particularly described as follows:

Lot No. 11, Block A—Beginning at a point on the makai side of Lunallo street, 600 feet northwest of the west corner of Keeaumoku and Lunallo streets and run by true Meridian:
 S. 21° 12' W. 90 feet along Lot 10, Block A; thence
 N. 68° 48' W. 50 feet along Lot 31, Block A; thence
 N. 21° 12' E. 90 feet along Lot 12, Block A; thence

S. 68° 48' E. 50 feet along Lunallo street to initial point. Area 4500 square feet, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to the said mortgagor, Chas. E. Moore, by deed dated April 3rd, 1901.

Terms: Cash, U. S. Gold Coin.
 Deeds: At the expense of purchaser.
 Dated Honolulu, August 15th, 1903.

CECIL BROWN, TRUSTEE.

The above sale is postponed till Saturday Sept. 26th, at same hour and place.

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FARMERS INSTITUTE TO MEET OCT. 24

President Jared G. Smith has called a meeting of the Farmers' Institute, to be held at Wailua, Oahu, on Saturday evening, Oct. 24, 1903.

Mr. B. O. Clark will present a paper on "The Possibility of the Development of the Fruit Industry in Hawaii," to be of the Fruit Industry in Hawaii," to be followed by a discussion in which Mr. J. E. Higgins and others will participate. Dr. E. C. Shorey, chemist of the U. S. Experiment Station, will give a paper on "Recent Work in Agricultural Chemistry." Mr. J. T. Crawley, manager of the Hawaiian Fertilizer Works, will lead the discussion on this paper. D. L. Van Dine will give an illustrated talk on "Insects Injurious and Beneficial to the Farmer."

Members of the Institute, desiring to attend this meeting, should consult with the secretary at once, providing they have not already made arrangements for transportation and entertainment.

Very sincerely,
 D. L. VAN DINE,
 Secretary Farmers' Institute.

FARMERS ARE THE BEST CITIZENS

Editor Advertiser: Among the writings of that illustrious American, Thomas Jefferson, I find the following paragraph. Confirming as it does our editorial in Sunday's paper, I enclose it for your perusal, in case you have not seen it:

"Cultivators of the earth make the best citizens. They are the most virtuous, the most virtuous and the most independent. They are tied to their country, and wedded to its liberty and interests by the most lasting bonds. As long therefore as they can find employment in this line I would not convert them into mariners, artisans or anything else."

My authority Wm. E. Curtis "The True Thos. Jefferson," p. 90-91.
 Yours truly,
 A. READER.